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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 22, 2006, kindly amend the  
application identified above as follows.